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Category:     Aging

NOLA:            MLNH 008618  
Series Title:    NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version:        SD-Base  
Length:         60  
Airdate:        7/26/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service:        PBS  
Segment Length: 00:12:42

Families Advocate for Alzheimer's Disease to Be National Priority: An estimated 4.5 million Americans have Alzheimer's, and the number is expected to triple within 10 years. Families of patients are making efforts to push the private and public sectors toward finding better treatments.

NOLA:            MLNH 008634  
Series Title:    NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version:        SD-Base  
Length:         60  
Airdate:        8/17/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service:        PBS  
Segment Length: 00:09:04

President Bush Signs Overhaul of Pension Plan Laws: President Bush signed a pension reform bill into law Thursday, calling it the most sweeping reform in over 30 years at a White House signing ceremony. Economics Correspondent Paul Solman outlines the changes that promise to bolster pension funding and savings.

NOLA:            MLNH 008652  
Series Title:    NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version:        SD-Base  
Length:         60  
Airdate:        9/12/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service:        PBS  
Segment Length: 00:06:15

Longevity Study Finds Wide Gaps Between Races, Classes: A new study by Harvard University researchers has found large gaps in life expectancy among different racial, economic, and geographic groups across America. Health Correspondent Susan Dentzer explains the findings.

Category: Alcohol, Drug Abuse/Addiction

NOLA: MLNH 008603  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/5/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:09:27

Substance Abuse Rates Rise in Women Over Past Two Decades: For decades, far more U.S. males than females have been substance abusers, but the gender gap is now shrinking. An encore report looks at the growing dependency in woman and the approaches to treat the problem.

Category: American History/Biography

NOLA: AMMS 001904  
Series Title: American Masters  
Episode Title: Marilyn Monroe: Still Life  
Version: SD-Edited  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/19/2006 10:00:00 AM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary

There are the movie roles, but it is the still images - the iconic face, the expressions and poses - that make up our collective memory of Marilyn. She was, arguably, the most photographed person ever. We tell her story through such artists as Richard Avedon and Henri Cartier-Bresson, Inge Morath and Andy Warhol - her relationship with their cameras produced an enduring body of work that still dazzles and moves us, evoking both desire and pathos. These photographs are an ageless testament to her grace, guts and sexiness - her humor and vulnerability. She understood their power, and she exploited it. She created, and curated, her own image - lips puckered to the lens, she invited us to kiss her back. She would be 80 in June 2006. She died more than 40 years ago. But, Marilyn persists in her image.

NOLA: AMDO 001907  
Series Title: P.O.V.  
Episode Title: Lomax the Songhunter  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/22/2006 12:00:00 AM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary

"Lomax the Songhunter" Alan Lomax was "The song hunter." He devoted his entire life to recording the world's folk tunes before they would permanently disappear. In this film, director Rogier Kappers seeks to tell Lomax's story through interviews with friends such as Pete Seeger and archival footage of such greats as Woody Guthrie and Leadbelly.

NOLA: AMMS 000501  
Series Title: American Masters  
Episode Title: Preston Sturges: The Rise and Fall of an American Dreamer  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 9/13/2006 9:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary

Director Preston Sturges's films of the 1940s -- "The Great McGinty," "The Lady Eve," "The Palm Beach Story," and "Sullivan's Travels" -- parodied American politics, sex, advertising, and hero worship and established Sturges as a brilliant satirist. But when he left Paramount for a disastrous association with Howard Hughes, his box office appeal waned and his career plummeted. This documentary profile examines Sturges's witty and urbane style and includes interviews with Barbara Stanwyck, Rex Harrison, Joel McCrea, Billy Wilder, Claudette Colbert and Bob Hope, among others.

NOLA: MLNH 008651  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 9/11/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:13:14

Ceremonies Mark Fifth Anniversary of 9/11 Attacks: Many people around the nation attended ceremonies or paused in remembrance of those who died in the Sept. 11, 2001 terrorist attacks in New York, Virginia and Pennsylvania.

Category: Arts

NOLA: AMDO 001903  
Series Title: P.O.V.  
Episode Title: Tintin and I  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 90  
Airdate: 7/11/2006 11:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary

Why does the comic-strip "Adventures of Tintin," about an intrepid boy reporter, continue to fascinate decades after publication? This moving and beautifully constructed documentary highlights the potent social and political underpinnings that give Tintin's world such depth.



NOLA: BILM 000103  
Series Title: Bill Moyers on Faith & Reason  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/9/2006 4:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

Much of the turmoil of Winterson's early life was recounted in her acclaimed first novel, *ORANGES ARE NOT THE ONLY FRUIT*, which made her a sensation in the British literary world and earned her the 1985 Whitbread Prize for best first novel. Since then, she has written nearly a dozen more, including *THE PASSION* (1987), *SEXING THE CHERRY* (1989), *WRITTEN ON THE BODY* (1992), *THE POWERBOOK* (2000), and *LIGHTHOUSEKEEPING* (2004), as well as several screenplays, plays, and works of nonfiction. Always controversial, Winterson's works explore themes of desire, fantasy, sexuality, feminism, gender identification, love, and power in lyrical and imaginative prose, frequently mixing myth and history in settings ranging from 17th-century England to cyberspace. With his critically acclaimed one-man show *FLOW* and his more recent off-Broadway production, *THE SEVEN* (an adaptation of Aeschylus's *SEVEN AGAINST THEBES*), Power has forged a new style of theatrical communication - combining original tunes, rhymed language, DJ music, innovative set design, and dynamic choreography - that speaks to the growing influence of hip-hop as an artistic and cultural force.

NOLA: HARW 000105  
Series Title: How Art Made the World  
Episode Title: To Death and Back  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/24/2006 9:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Other

All cultures, no matter how diverse, share remarkably similar visual ideas in trying to understand God and the afterlife.

Category: Business/Industry

NOLA: HIDE 000403  
Series Title: History Detectives  
Version: SD-Stacked  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/3/2006 8:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

The Detectives head to Coca-Cola's headquarters in Atlanta to trace the legacy of the soft drink empire and examine its influential role in American commerce and advertising. Plus, they head to Mississippi and Washington, DC, to dig up details of the Civil War battle that took place at Vicksburg. Finally, they travel to Massachusetts to investigate a struggle that paved the way for improved labor conditions throughout the country.



NOLA: MLNH 008627  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Short  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/8/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:17:16

Alaskan Oil Pipeline Leak Raises Environmental Concerns: The oil giant British Petroleum will shut down most of its production at the Prudhoe Bay oil field in Alaska because of corroded pipelines. An industry specialist outlines the environmental problems with the BP site and the president of BP Exploration Alaska explains the company's response.

NOLA: FLWB 000000  
Series Title: Frank Lloyd Wright's Buffalo  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 9/4/2006 10:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

This program tells the story of the 30-year friendship between the great American architect Frank Lloyd Wright and Buffalo, New York businessman Darwin D. Martin, highlighting the critical role Martin and Buffalo played in Wright's early career. David Ogden Stiers narrates.

NOLA: MLNH 008655  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 9/15/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:14:10

Ford Cuts 10,000 Workers, Closes Two Factories: In a round of new closings and layoffs, The Ford Motor Company announced Friday the elimination of 10,000 white-collar jobs and two more plant closings, up to 16 from previous cuts. Guests discuss the drastic efforts to save the automaker, effects on its workers and the flagging U.S. auto industry.

Category: Community Politics, Government

NOLA: MLNH 008606  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/10/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:12:39

Arizona Incumbent Prepares for Election Fight over Immigration: Immigration has become a key election issue in Arizona this year as Republican Sen. John Kyl tries to retain his seat and voters consider ballot initiatives to make English the official state language and deny undocumented workers certain state services.

NOLA: MLNH 008628  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Short  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/9/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:08:28

Lieberman Defends Decision to Run as Independent in U.S. Senate Race: After serving as Connecticut's U.S. Senator for 18 years, Democrat Joe Lieberman lost his party's primary on Tuesday. Having announced his decision to run as an "Independent Democrat", Lieberman discusses why he will continue his campaign into the fall general election.

NOLA: MLNH 008644  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/31/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:10:07

California Moves to Be First State to Limit Greenhouse Gases: California Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger and Democratic lawmakers reached a landmark agreement on a bill requiring companies to cut output of greenhouse gases by 25 percent by 2020. Experts discuss the national implications of California's move to curb emissions.

NOLA: NOWD 000235  
Series Title: NOW  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 30  
Airdate: 9/1/2006 8:00:00 PM/501  
Service: PBS

"Block the Vote" Your right to vote -- is it under assault? Across the nation, states have enacted new laws supposedly designed to prevent voter fraud and avoid election day debacles, but qualified voters may also be left out in the cold, especially minorities, the poor, the elderly and the disabled. NOW looks at several states where these new rules may keep voters away from the polls in November. Many of these laws have been approved by the Department of Justice, which is charged with protecting the rights of all voters. "This is a concerted effort to make sure that certain people don't have the opportunity to vote, that they don't have the opportunity to participate in their own democracy", Georgia state representative Alisha Thomas Morgan told NOW.

Category: Consumerism

NOLA: MLNH 008632  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/15/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:07:02

Dell Issues Largest Electronics Recall After Fire Fears: Dell, the world's largest computer maker, announced Monday that it would recall 4.1 million lithium-ion batteries for laptop computers after documenting several cases of overheated batteries bursting into flames. Acting chairman of the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission discusses the recall.

NOLA: MLNH 008653  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 9/13/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:07:59

Apple Reveals New Internet Movie Service: Apple Computer Inc. unveiled a new service that will allow consumers to download movies onto an iPod or a computer just as they do with music from online stores. A media expert discusses the future of digital downloading and movie watching.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement

NOLA: WIDA 000501  
Series Title: Wide Angle  
Episode Title: 18 With a Bullet  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/11/2006 9:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary

In San Salvador, El Salvador, two thousand miles from Los Angeles's Eighteenth Street, a gang known as "18" governs its territory like an armed militia. In the mid 1990s, thousands of Salvadoran nationals living illegally in the U.S. were deported to their homeland. Some brought L.A. gang culture back with them to a country beset by poverty and awash in arms. Organizing support for gang members in need, meting out justice to those who would defy the gang's code and waging an endless vendetta against its enemies, 18 is helping to make El Salvador one of the most violent and crime-ridden countries in the world. 18 with a Bullet presents a chilling portrait of six months in the life of this notorious Central American gang.

Category: Culture

NOLA: MLNH 008606  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/10/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS

Essay Explores Origin of 'The Bottom Line': Essayist Roger Rosenblatt shares some "bottom line" thoughts on American culture and profit.

NOLA: MLNH 008645  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 9/1/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS

Essayist Reflects on Opportunities to Sing Out Loud: Essayist Richard Rodriguez discusses music in American culture and why many people attend productions that allow the audience to sing along.



Category: Economy

NOLA: MLNH 008607  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/11/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:11:10

Economists Divided over Impact of Improved Deficit Numbers: President Bush said larger than expected tax revenue has cut the federal deficit, validating his tax cuts. Former Labor Secretary Robert Reich and Wall Street Journal writer Stephen Moore debate what the new numbers mean for the health of the economy.

NOLA: MLNH 008638  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/23/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:10:46

Declining House Sales Indicate Slowing Economy: As housing inventories reached new highs, existing-home sales in the United States fell in July to its lowest rate in more than two years. Industry economists discuss the drop and the impact of the softening real estate market on the U.S. economy.

Category: Education

NOLA: MLNH 008641  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/28/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS

Essayist Looks at Separation of Parents, Kids Off to College: NewsHour Essayist Anne Taylor Fleming reflects on parents letting go of their college-age children.

NOLA: WIDA 000507  
Series Title: Wide Angle  
Episode Title: Back to School  
Version: SD-Spot  
Length: 87  
Airdate: 9/5/2006 9:00:00 PM/512  
Service: PBS

In 2003, Wide Angle profiled seven children from seven different countries as they started their first year of school in the unprecedented multi-year documentary project Time for School. This year, Back to School checks in on the students, now in third grade, some with their future education almost assured and others clearly in danger of dropping out. Like Michael Apted's 7-Up film series, Wide Angle will periodically visit these children through 2015 to update the events of their lives and their progress. How many will successfully graduate? How many will drop out, and why? What differences will we see between the boys and the girls? These children's stories will offer rich insight to American audiences about the striking disparities of circumstance and opportunity in different countries around the world.

Category: Employment

NOLA: MLNH 008602  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/4/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:14:44

High Pension Costs Hurt Business: In an excerpt from a Frontline report, Hedrick Smith examines the problems that maintaining traditional pensions is having on middle-class Americans.

NOLA: AMDO 001908  
Series Title: P.O.V.  
Episode Title: Waging a Living  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 90  
Airdate: 8/29/2006 11:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS

The term "working poor" should be an oxymoron. If you work full time, you should not be poor, but more than 30 million Americans-one in four workers-are stuck in jobs that do not pay for the basics of a decent life. Waging a Living chronicles the day-to-day battles of four low-wage earners fighting to lift their families out of poverty. Shot over a three-year period in the Northeast and California, this observational documentary captures the dreams, frustrations and accomplishments of a diverse group of people who struggle to live from paycheck to paycheck. By presenting an unvarnished look at the barriers that these workers must overcome to escape poverty, Waging a Living offers a sobering view of the elusive American Dream.

Category: Energy

NOLA: MLNH 008615  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/21/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:08:07

Oil Market Focuses Attention on Mideast Conflict: The NewsHour's economics correspondent Paul Solman reports on how the Middle East crisis is affecting the price of oil in other countries.

NOLA: MLNH 008637  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/22/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:10:07

Natural Gas Boom Impacts Rural Wyoming Town: A natural gas boom in Wyoming has had both positive and negative impacts on a once small town.

NOLA: MLNH 008649  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 9/7/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:05:12

BP Officials Testify on Pipeline Leakage: British Petroleum in Alaska officials fielded questions at a House hearing on the factors that forced them to shut down pipelines at Prudhoe Bay and what caused a large-scale spill.

Category: Environment/Nature/Geography

NOLA: NFAL 000000  
Series Title: Niagara Falls  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/5/2006 8:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Other

NIAGARA FALLS is more than the celebration of a natural wonder: it's a study of human achievement and human folly on an epic scale. It is a tale of exploitation and preservation and the changing nature of love in America - of the way man has related to Nature over centuries.

NOLA: JCOA 000201  
Series Title: Jean-Michel Cousteau: Ocean Adventures  
Episode Title: Sharks at Risk  
Version: SD-Stacked  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/12/2006 7:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Feature Film/Video Drama

Long feared as an object of terror, sharks are now gaining a new reputation as a species whose numbers are being decimated with unprecedented speed. This decline comes at a time when we are beginning to learn more about the complexity of their behavior and to dispel the myth of the shark as "a mindless eating machine." The Cousteau oceanographic team of divers and scientists travels to Rangiroa in French Polynesia and to South Africa to explore the role of this keystone species in the ocean and to other life forms, to study behavioral patterns, examine the complexity of their intelligence, and to seek out possible reasons behind the decreases in their population. Narrated by Pierce Brosnan.



NOLA: ADLN 000101  
Series Title: Adventure Lodges of North America  
Episode Title: Canadian Adventure Lodges  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/30/2006 7:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary

Adventure Lodges of North America is a fascinating two-part, two-hour documentary that takes viewers across this remarkable continent to remote outposts in places of awe-inspiring beauty. From a three-story floating resort in British Columbia to an historic island inn on the Atlantic Ocean to a rustic chalet in the Sierra Nevada Mountains, Adventure Lodges offers an intimate look at remote lodges in some of the world's last true wilderness.

NOLA: ANHU 000000  
Series Title: Anatomy of a Hurricane  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 30  
Airdate: 9/10/2006 10:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary

The hurricane season of 2004 is categorized as one of the most active on record. It begins with an uneventful June and July then suddenly turns violent in August. Forecasters at the National Hurricane Center in Miami are confronted with satellite images showing a steady stream of tropical storms spinning across the Atlantic from Africa. Combining their experience with the latest technology they focus on making the most accurate predictions. As Hurricane Specialist Jack Bevens says, "If you get it wrong you can get a lot of people killed." No one wants to risk a wrong forecast. Anatomy of a Hurricane goes behind the scenes at the National Hurricane Center to see forecasters on a mission to save lives and property. It is a look at the stressful work of a dedicated staff as they track Charley, Frances, Ivan and Jeanne - all major hurricanes with unexpected challenges. It is also a look at the complicated dynamics of the atmosphere - why these hurricanes form and where they go.

Category: Family/Marriage

NOLA: MLNH 008614  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/20/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:07:18

DNA Kits Provide Insight into Genetic Ancestry: With advances in DNA technology, researchers are learning more about the origins and diversity of humans, allowing companies to offer DNA test kits and analysis for people who want to learn more about their ancestry.

NOLA: PNRE 000952  
Series Title: Religion & Ethics NewsWeekly  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 30  
Airdate: 8/28/2006 12:00:00 AM/502  
Service: PBS-PLUS

Kim Lawton looks at the key role undertaken by religious groups in rebuilding churches and homes devastated by Hurricane Katrina; Betty Rollin explores the ethical issues raised when children, conceived by sperm donors, seek out their biological fathers.

NOLA: KIDI 000000  
Series Title: Kids & Divorce: For Better or Worse  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 9/21/2006 10:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Millions of American families are affected each year by divorce. The aftermath of a failed marriage generates strong emotions for both parents and children alike. This new, one-hour program offers a framework for exploring a highly charged arena with the emphasis on determining what's best for the kids.

Category: Health/Health Care

NOLA: BWHF 000000  
Series Title: Brenda Watson's H.O.P.E. Formula: The Ultimate Health Secret  
Version: SD-Pledge  
Length: 75  
Airdate: 8/13/2006 11:30:00 AM/503  
Service: PBS-SIP  
Format: Other  
Segment Length: 01:28:59

Brenda Watson discusses her H.O.P.E. Formula for vibrant health during this pledge event.

NOLA: MLNH 008613  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/19/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:11:28

President Bush Vetoes Stem Cell Bill: President Bush issued his first veto Wednesday on a bill that would have eased restrictions on federal funding for embryonic stem cell research. Two political analysts discuss the use of the presidential veto.

NOLA: CLOW 000000  
Series Title: Closer Walk; A  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 90  
Airdate: 8/31/2006 9:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary

"A Closer Walk" is the first film to depict humankind's confrontation with the global AIDS epidemic. It encompasses the broad spectrum of the global AIDS experience and includes people with HIV/AIDS from all walks of life: AIDS children and orphans and those caring for them; doctors, nurses and social workers; human rights advocates; and prominent scientists, economists, researchers, government leaders and NGO officials. More than 50 women, men and young people were interviewed or profiled in the following regions and locations: Uganda, South Africa, Haiti, Switzerland, India, Nepal, Ukraine, Cambodia and various locations in the United States, including New York City, Kansas City, San Francisco and Cambridge. The film's basic themes address the underlying causes of AIDS; the relationship between health, dignity and human rights; and the universal need for action, compassion and commitment to counter what has become the worst plague in human history.

NOLA: MLNH 008643  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/30/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:07:53

Number of Americans without Health Insurance Hits Record High: According to a new U.S. Census Bureau report, the number of uninsured people in America has increased by 1.3 million to 46.6 million, including 400,000 more children. Health Correspondent Susan Dentzer

NOLA: MLNH 008652  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 9/12/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:06:15

Longevity Study Finds Wide Gaps Between Races, Classes: A new study by Harvard University researchers has found large gaps in life expectancy among different racial, economic, and geographic groups across America. Health Correspondent Susan Dentzer explains the findings.

Category: Housing, Shelter

NOLA: MLNH 008619  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/27/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:08:19

Housing Woes in New Orleans Continue Nearly a Year After Katrina: More than 75 percent of public housing in New Orleans is unfit for human habitation after Hurricane Katrina. Rebuilding plans for these homes are underway but will take time, even though residents are ready now to return home.



NOLA: MLNH 008638  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/23/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:10:46

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Category: Immigration/Refugees

NOLA: MLNH 008613  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/19/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:09:08

Mexicans React to Immigration Crisis in America: Ray Suarez reports on the Mexican perspective on the border crisis with the United States.

NOLA: MLNH 008633  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/16/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:07:23

National Border Control Council Head Discusses Immigration: In the second in a series on immigration in the United States, National Border Patrol Council President T.J. Bonner shares his views.

NOLA: MLNH 008646  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 9/4/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:10:24

Muslim Americans in San Francisco Reflect on Sept. 11: First in an ongoing series on the impact of 9/11 on life in the United States, Spencer Michels talks with members of the American Muslim community in San Francisco.

Category: Media

NOLA: AMMS 001905  
Series Title: American Masters  
Episode Title: Walter Cronkite: Witness to History  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 90  
Airdate: 7/26/2006 8:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary

Everyone knew Walter Cronkite from the CBS Evening News, where he earned distinction as "The Most Trusted Man in America" during his 19 years at the anchor desk. Throughout his award-winning career - which began as a field reporter in World War II - Cronkite covered such historic events as the first trip to the moon; the assassinations of President John F. Kennedy, Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., and Senator Robert Kennedy; the Watergate scandal; the Vietnam War; the Iran hostage crisis; and John Glenn's return to space. Through it all, he steadfastly adhered to a credo of fast, accurate and unbiased news reporting. After stepping down as anchorman almost 25 years ago, his story continued - Walter Cronkite still leads the life of a genuine Renaissance man - author, sailor, producer and patron, his public concern for, and commitment to, our world has never faltered.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights

NOLA: MLNH 008623  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/2/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:08:42

Lebanese-Americans Disagree with U.S. and Israeli Policy Toward Lebanon: As fighting continues in the Middle East, Lebanese-Americans and other Arab groups in the United States worry for relatives stuck in the war zone. They also protest Israel's offensive in southern Lebanon -- and the U.S. policy supporting a military campaign.

NOLA: TASM 000837  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 30  
Airdate: 8/15/2006 9:30:00 PM/503  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

Writer-filmmaker Nora Ephron discusses her latest book, I Feel Bad About My Neck. African American history scholar Dr. Peniel E. Joseph reflects on the origins of the Black Power Movement.

Category: National Politics/Government

NOLA: WWIR 004602  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 30  
Airdate: 7/14/2006 7:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS

On the brink again, and the White House recalibrates its legal war on terror. Tonight on "Washington Week:" Beirut under siege, Israel under attack. As world leaders meet this week in Russia a mounting crisis in the Middle East involving Israel, Lebanon, Syria, Iran, and the rogue group Hezbollah overshadows all else.

NOLA: NOWD 000229  
Series Title: NOW  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 30  
Airdate: 7/21/2006 8:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine

A Fish Tale: An important little fish pits environmentalists against big business and state against state. Interview: George Mitchell -- David Brancaccio talks with the former U.S. Senate Majority Leader and international peace broker about short and long-term solutions to the current Middle East crisis.

Category: Nuclear Issues/WMD

NOLA: MLNH 008641  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/28/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:05:55

Iran Remains Defiant Amid Tensions over Uranium Enrichment: U.N. Secretary General Kofi Annan announced Monday that he would visit Iran, one day after Iran repeated its intention to continue uranium enrichment despite a U.N. deadline to halt nuclear program activities. NewsHour Correspondent Margaret Warner reports from Tehran.

NOLA: MLNH 008648  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 9/6/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:13:20

Most Iranians Support Decision to Continue Nuclear Program: As the fear of an American attack on Iran becomes stronger, people in Tehran support their president's decision to continue developing its nuclear energy program. NewsHour correspondent Margaret Warner reports on how Iranians view the nuclear issue.



Category: Poverty/Hunger

NOLA: MLNH 008637  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/22/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:16:58

Debate over Welfare Reform Lingers 10 Years Later: Ten years ago, then-President Clinton signed into law major welfare changes that tightened restrictions on who could receive welfare and for how long. Experts assess the impact the law has had over the years.

Category: Recreation/Leisure/Sports

NOLA: HIDE 000410  
Series Title: History Detectives  
Version: SD-Stacked  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/28/2006 8:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Other

Lou Gehrig Autograph - An Oregon man has a baseball ticket that bears a "Lou Gehrig" autograph and a scribbled date: July 4, 1939. The contributor's mother was an avid Yankees fan who regularly paid homage to the team at their home stadium in the Bronx. The date is one of the most famous in baseball, when Gehrig announced his retirement, stating to a Yankee Stadium crowd of 62,000 that he was "the luckiest man on the face of the earth." For months, unbeknownst to Gehrig and his fans, he had been suffering the progressive effects of amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS), a degenerative disease. HISTORY DETECTIVES heads to Yankee Stadium and Cooperstown's Baseball Hall of Fame to learn whether this ticket was in fact signed by Lou Gehrig and to explore how the athlete once known as the "Iron Horse" was memorialized by fans and by his own family. Cleveland Electric Car - A Cleveland man with a passion for trains has long wondered about an electric street car in his city's transit museum. He is curious to learn what happened to the city's once extensive and highly praised electric trolley car network. Streetcars were once the most popular form of urban transportation in the country - by World War I, most cities of more than 10,000 people had an electric railway system. But by the 1950s, this form of transportation had all but disappeared. HISTORY DETECTIVES hits the road to Washington, DC, and Cleveland, Ohio, to track the evolution of urban mass transit systems, and investigate the fate of downtown areas and the rise of suburban sprawl.

Philadelphia Freedom Paper - A Bronx, New York, man with a longtime interest in African-American history recently purchased an intriguing document at a flea market; he believes it is a "freedom paper" for an African-American man named John Jubilee Jackson. The paper was issued in Philadelphia in 1821, and indicates that Jackson was from Virginia, a state where, by 1780, nearly half of all slaves resided. HISTORY DETECTIVES heads to Philadelphia, Mystic, Connecticut, and New York City to investigate the document and the life of John Jubilee Jackson, uncovering the remarkable and contradictory reality of free blacks struggling to get by in a racist society.

NOLA: MLNH 008645  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 9/1/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:08:40

Retiring Agassi Impacts Game of Tennis: Andre Agassi, who is retiring at the end of the 2006 U.S. Open, entered the third round after winning a grueling match Thursday night. Tennis commentator Patrick McEnroe discusses Agassi's career and his chances of winning one last title.

Category: Religion/Ethics

NOLA: BILM 000104  
Series Title: Bill Moyers on Faith & Reason  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/14/2006 9:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

Belgian writer Anne Provoost is the author of a series of provocative novels that examine topics as varied as right-wing extremism, sexual abuse, and God through the eyes of young protagonists. David Grossman is an Israeli novelist, essayist, playwright, and children's book author who has written extensively on Israeli-Palestinian relations and whose fictional works mine the depths of youth, adolescence, and adulthood in modern Israeli society.

NOLA: HARW 000105  
Series Title: How Art Made the World  
Episode Title: To Death and Back  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/24/2006 9:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Other

All cultures, no matter how diverse, share remarkably similar visual ideas in trying to understand God and the afterlife.

NOLA: WIDA 000505  
Series Title: Wide Angle  
Episode Title: Turkey's Tigers  
Version: SD-Spot  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/22/2006 9:00:00 PM/512  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary

"Turkey's Tigers" For years, Turkey has been run by a stridently secular business and political elite struggling to align itself with the Western world, while its pious Muslims have been pushed to the political and economic fringes. But now even the most devout Muslims have shifted their gaze from the East to the West. Join us for this look at the modern, unexpected face of Islam unseen in American media.

Category: Science/Technology

NOLA: MLNH 008602  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/4/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:06:39

Space Shuttle Discovery Launches After Delays: After two delays and a year of troubleshooting NASA successfully launched the space shuttle Discovery Tuesday, sending seven astronauts to the International Space Station.

NOLA: AMMS 000603  
Series Title: AMERICAN MASTERS  
Episode Title: A. Einstein: How I See the World  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/23/2006 10:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary

In this portrait of the world's most famous physicist, Albert Einstein's other roles as humanitarian and philosopher are examined. A tireless defender of individual liberties, Einstein stuck tenaciously to unique ideals both in the human sphere and in his scientific inquiries. This film explores Einstein's unswerving idealism through the groundbreaking work in physics that gained him international acclaim to his life in America after being forced to leave Germany in 1933. The unknown physicist who shocked the world with his revolutionary theories as well as the older man who witnessed the catastrophic consequences of these theories with the making and use of the atomic bomb are portrayed.

NOLA: MLNH 008639  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/24/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:07:39

Scientists Demote Pluto to 'Dwarf Planet': Top international astronomers voted Thursday to strip Pluto's planetary status that it has held since its discovery in 1930. The celestial object is now redefined as a "dwarf planet," leaving just eight major planets in the solar system.



NOLA: NOVA 003311  
Series Title: NOVA  
Episode Title: Building on Ground Zero  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 9/5/2006 7:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Demonstration/Instructional  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

In a follow up to the Emmy Award-winning documentary Why The Towers Fell, NOVA looks back at the events of 9/11 and reviews the major investigations into the collapse of the World Trade Center. What has been learned in order to improve the construction and security of our most important structures, present and future? How does the U.S. rate compared to other countries? What are the challenges facing architects, engineers, and builders and the obstacles preventing them from adopting new building codes? The film features incisive interviews with key investigators and engineers-including Leslie Robertson, who engineered the World Trade Center towers and takes viewers to the construction site of his current project in Shanghai, touted as the tallest structure in the world.

Category: Transportation

NOLA: MLNH 008629  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Short  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/10/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:05:59

#### Airline Industry Will Pay the Price for the Foiled Terror Plot

With the tightening of airport security in order to prevent terrorist attacks, passengers are challenged with abiding by stricter rules and regulations and longer travel time. An industry expert discusses how the foiled airline terror plot will affect the airline industry and traveling.

NOLA: MLNH 008633  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/16/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:07:33

Suspects Held Without Charges in UK-U.S. Airline Bomb Plot: A British judge agreed to extend the warrants of the 24 people suspected in a plot to bomb transatlantic flights until next week. British law dictates a maximum of 28 days for suspects to be held without charge. A reporter speaks about the developing investigation.

Category: Urban Development, Urban Decay

NOLA: MLNH 008619  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/27/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:08:19

Housing Woes in New Orleans Continue Nearly a Year After Katrina: More than 75 percent of public housing in New Orleans is unfit for human habitation after Hurricane Katrina. Rebuilding plans for these homes are underway but will take time, even though residents are ready now to return home.

Category: War/Veterans/National Security

NOLA: MLNH 008612  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/18/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:17

Senate Questions Attorney General Gonzales on Wiretapping Program: Attorney General Alberto Gonzales testified to the Senate Judiciary Committee Tuesday that President Bush refused to grant security access to investigators looking into the National Security Agency's phone-tapping program.

NOLA: NOWD 000230  
Series Title: NOW  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 30  
Airdate: 7/28/2006 9:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS

In his first primetime interview on American television, a former detainee, British citizen Moazzam Begg, tells a disturbing story alleging kidnap, torture and murder. Taken suddenly from his home one night in Pakistan, Begg was imprisoned for three years in Afghanistan and Guantanamo Bay without any charges pressed against him. Begg gives viewers a rare insider's perspective on the secretive prisons in the 'war on terror.' David Brancaccio travels to Begg's hometown in Birmingham, England to find out how a Muslim man from a British upbringing ended up entangled in militant Islamic politics. Begg, who is a husband and father of four, says he did not participate in terrorism. But the U.S. is adamant that his detention was justified.



NOLA: WWIR 004610  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 30  
Airdate: 9/8/2006 7:00:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS

Labor Day has come and gone. Now the fall focus comes into view: it's all about security, security, security, tonight on "Washington Week." "Many Americans look at these events and ask the same question: five years after 9/11 are we safer? The answer is yes. America is safer," claims President George W. Bush. "America is less safe, facing greater threats, and unprepared for the dangerous world in which we live," says Senator Harry Reid (D-NV). Who's right? President Bush with his plans to close secret prisons, prosecute terrorists at Guantanamo, and continue wiretapping, or Democrats and some Republicans who say the president may be falling short of the mark? Is Congress, back in town for a less than a month before returning home to campaign, prepared to stake its own security claim? "Thankfully there have been no attacks on our soil since 9/11, but we should not take false comfort from that fact," declares Sen. Joe Biden (D-DE.). Will Monday's 9/11 anniversary bring all this - politics and policy - into focus? Tackling some of these questions tonight: Dana Priest of the Washington Post, Michael Duffy of Time Magazine, Gloria Borger of CBS News and U.S. News, and Doyle McManus of the Los Angeles Times.

Category: Women

NOLA: WIDA 000503  
Series Title: Wide Angle  
Episode Title: Class of 2006  
Version: SD-Spot  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 7/25/2006 9:00:00 PM/512  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary

WIDE ANGLE's cameras are on location in Morocco as history is made. In May 2006, an imam academy in the city of Rabat holds a graduation ceremony. But the class of 2006 is no ordinary group of students. Side by side with the male graduates are 50 women pioneers, among the first contemporary group of women to be officially trained as religious leaders in the Arab world. Empowered to do everything that male imams do, except lead Friday prayer in a mosque, the women will fan out across Morocco to work as spiritual guides in mosques, schools, hospitals and prisons, even hosting their own television and radio talk shows.

NOLA: WIDA 000504  
Series Title: Wide Angle  
Episode Title: Flying Down to Kabul  
Version: SD-Spot  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/1/2006 9:00:00 PM/512  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Danish artist Simone Aaberg Kærn encountered resistance when she flew her canvas-covered propeller airplane to Kabul in search of the Afghan teenage girl whose dream of being a fighter pilot Kærn had read about in the newspaper. Although women had played an integral role in the physical and intellectual health of Afghanistan, when the Taliban came to power in 1996 women were eliminated from its public sphere entirely. The fall of the Taliban in late 2001 ushered in a new era of reforms aimed at reintegrating Afghanistan's women into the nation's schools, political institutions and workplaces; however, as Kærn discovered, Afghan culture remains deeply rooted in conservative religious traditions.



NOLA: MLNH 008632  
Series Title: NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, The  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 60  
Airdate: 8/15/2006 5:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Segment Length: 00:08:38

Conference Stresses Testing, Role of Women in AIDS Prevention: World health experts and community leaders gathered in Toronto for the 16th International AIDS Conference. Former NewsHour correspondent Charlayne Hunter-Gault, who attended the conference, discusses the ideas put forth.

Category: Youth

NOLA: AMDO 001909  
Series Title: P.O.V.  
Episode Title: The Boys of Baraka  
Version: SD-Base  
Length: 90  
Airdate: 9/12/2006 11:30:00 PM/502  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary

African-American boys have a one-in-ten chance of being incarcerated or killed before they reach adulthood. In Baltimore, one of the country's most poverty-stricken cities for inner-city residents, the Baraka School project was founded to break the cycle of violence through an innovative education program that removed young boys from low-performing public schools and unstable home environments. The film follows 20 boys as they travel to rural Kenya in East Africa, where a teacher-student ratio of one to five, a strict disciplinary program and a comprehensive curriculum form the core of an extraordinary new journey in their transformation to men.

## Local Programming

### Alabama Experience

Sunday, July 2, 2006 12:30 PM Triptik: Birmingham to Montgomery on Highway 31  
It used to be Alabama's busiest road, but now everyone takes the interstate. Ride the old road using a 1941 driving tour as a guide, and discover Alabama's Scandinavian settlement, the descendants of a famous poet, one of the state's oldest dry goods store, and the secret of the Temple of Sybil.

Sunday, July 9, 2006 12:30 PM Triptik: Traveling Alabama's Highway 90  
Whether you like your wit-n-wisdom from Steve the Horse Trainer or Norm the Tireman, or if you'd rather just explore the history of Mardi Gras, you can find it all on Highway 90 a small stretch of road with a heap of Southern Charm!

Sunday, July 16, 2006 12:30 PM Thunder in Huntsville  
Explore the Alabama connection to the Apollo moon landing. The program focuses on the thousands of engineers and technicians who worked at the Marshall Space Flight Center in Huntsville, where the powerful Saturn V launch vehicle was designed.

Sunday, July 23, 2006 12:30 PM Bridges to the Past  
Covered bridges served vital needs in the days of horse drawn transportation. Today they provide picturesque recreational attractions that give visitors insight into how people lived in the past. "Bridges to the Past" will document Alabama's eleven remaining historic covered bridges that are open to the public. All were built from 1850 through the 1930s. A few are still in use for motor traffic today, but most are limited to foot traffic.

Sunday, July 30, 2006 12:30 PM This Old Library  
Spend a day browsing at one of the best places in the state to pass an afternoon. Leaf through a macabre scrapbook with a best-selling mystery writer; examine a historic jail register with a civil rights researcher; learn how a photo historian looks for clues in turn-of-the-century pictures, and meet the man who restored a huge, beautiful mural one cotton swab at a time.

Sunday, August 27, 2006 12:30 PM Last of the Wooden Boats  
The Alabama Experience is television's most complete and compelling look at Alabama. Each Sunday at 12:30 p.m. this award winning documentary thoughtfully examines Alabama's fascinating people and remarkable history. These provocative and entertaining programs have told many stories, from that of the Freedom Quilting Bee in Alabama's Black Belt region to the lone county that refused to join the state when it seceded from the Union.

Sunday, September 3, 2006 12:30 PM Natural Assets  
Alabama is one of the richest states in the country in terms of natural resources, but one of the poorest when it comes to preserving those resources. Often, environmental protection is seen as a hindrance to economic betterment. "Natural Assets" features a group of enterprising Alabamians who are finding ways to make a living while protecting or even



improving the environment.

Sunday, September 10, 2006 12:30 PM Bird In The Hand

Self-educated ornithologists Bob and Martha Sargent of Clay, Ala., entertain thousands of visitors in their back yard each year--ruby-throated hummingbirds, migrating to and from Central America. The Sargents are among the nation's pre-eminent authorities on ruby-throats and other migratory birds. See how they meticulously train volunteers who trap and band birds for research purposes, and watch them performing a census at Ft. Morgan that yields a remarkable variety of birds.

Sunday, September 17, 2006 12:30 PM Story Of Faunsdale Plantation

Faunsdale Plantation in Alabama's Black Belt has been in the same matrilineal line since it was settled more than 150 years ago. It's owners have overcome adversity such as war, Reconstruction, and economic uncertainty in a variety of ways, and passed to the next generation the only thing they could: a bit of what they'd learned.

Sunday, September 24, 2006 12:30 PM The People

Conversations with members of the Cherokee, Creek, Shawnee, and Choctaw tribes, who are dedicated to learning about and preserving the histories, arts, and spirituality that are essential to their heritage.

### **Alabama@Work**

Friday, July 7, 2006

8:00 PM

Chemical Industry, Tax Holiday

Chemical Industry Promotion Campaign

Almost ten thousand Alabamians are employed in the chemical industry, more than half in south Alabama. A new awareness campaign focuses on items made in south Alabama and used in everyday life.

Tax Holiday

August 4-6 is a back-to-school tax holiday in Alabama, and the Revenue Dept. is working to educate retailers and consumers alike on the details of the plan.

Friday, July 7, 2006

11:30 PM

Chemical Industry, Tax Holiday

Sunday, July 9, 2006

12:00 PM

Chemical Industry, Tax Holiday

Friday, July 14, 2006

8:00 PM

Student Money Management, Tax Holiday Seminar

The Alabama Jump Start Coalition hosts a conference for business and marketing instructors termed "Day of Financial Literacy", during which teachers learn ways to help students understand money management.

Tax Holiday How-To Seminar

Alabama's Dept. of Revenue, along with the Alabama Retail Association and Chamber of Commerce Association of Alabama, are conducting merchant seminars to help take the headache out of the upcoming tax holiday, scheduled for August 4-6.

Friday, July 14, 2006 11:30 PM

Student Money Management, Tax Holiday Seminar



Sunday, July 16, 2006 12:00 PM Student Money Management, Tax Holiday Seminar

Friday, July 21, 2006 8:00 PM Business & Engineering Conference, Finding Workers  
A Tuskegee University conference works to help business and engineering students find jobs and internships.

With low unemployment, Alabama companies could find it harder to attract and keep workers. The Alabama State Employment Service matches employers with qualified employees.

Friday, July 21, 2006 11:30 PM Business & Engineering Conference, Finding Workers

Sunday, July 23, 2006 12:00 PM Business & Engineering Conference, Finding Workers

Friday, July 28, 2006 8:00 PM Irrigation, Farmers Meet in West Alabama  
A grant to The University of Alabama Huntsville will fund a study on irrigation, including ways to store water for use during peak demand.

Farmers gathered recently to talk about crops, drought, and new ways to market their products.

Friday, July 28, 2006 11:30 PM Irrigation, Farmers Meet in West Alabama

Sunday, July 30, 2006 12:00 PM Irrigation, Farmers Meet in West Alabama

Friday, August 4, 2006 8:00 PM Senior Scams & Investment Fraud  
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Seniors account for almost half of all investor complaints, with one-third of the enforcement actions involving investment fraud. Alabama Securities Commission Executive Director Joe Borg discusses senior fraud, common scams, and information available for investors.

Friday, August 4, 2006 (No 11:30 repeat)

Friday, August 11, 2006, 8:00 PM Show not aired – technical problems – no information on the program aired

Friday, August 18, 2006, 8:00 PM Red Diamond Coffee & Tea, Golden Rule Barbecue  
What does it take to stay in business for a hundred years or more?  
Red Diamond Coffee & Tea was created in 1906, and survived the destruction of its warehouse in 1955.

Golden Rule barbecue, which opened its first restaurant in 1891, is now franchised across the state

Friday, August 18, 2006 (No 11:30 PM repeat)

Friday, August 25, 2006 8:00 PM Mad Cow Identification, College Student Debt  
Dairy Farms  
Making milk – visit one of Alabama's dairy farms to learn about milk production.

#### Animal ID Program

A new identification program should allow beef to be tracked from birth to the supermarket.

Friday, August 25, 2006 11:30 PM Mad Cow Identification, College Student Debt

Sunday, August 27, 2006 12:00 PM Mad Cow Identification, College Student Debt

Friday, September 1, 2006, 8:00 PM U-Pick Farm Mansion, 2-Wheel Product  
This Labor Day compilation of people at work features a u-pick farm, a renovated mansion, and an Alabama company moving forward on just two wheels.

Friday, September 1, 2006 1:30 PM Best of Alabama's Own  
C & S Rail, Ross Bridge, L. J. Creations, Barber Park

Sunday, September 3, 2006 12:00 PM Best of Alabama's Own

Friday, September 8, 2006 8:00 PM College Student Debt  
Recent surveys indicate college students are graduating with more debt than ever before. Credit cards account for part of this financial burden. Financial aid experts discuss how students can avoid debt, and suggest alternative ways to finance college.

Friday, September 8, 2006 11:00 PM College Student Debt

Sunday, September 10, 2006, 12:00 PM College Student Debt

Friday, September 15, 2006 8:00 PM College Student Debt  
Recent surveys indicate college students are graduating with more debt than ever before. Credit cards account for part of this financial burden. Financial aid experts discuss how students can avoid debt, and suggest alternative ways to finance college.

Friday, September 15, 2006, 11:30 PM College Student Debt

Sunday, September 17, 2006, 12:00 PM College Student Debt

Friday, September 22, 2006 8:00 PM Small Business Development, Ken Brown  
Development and growing minority business are two goals of this week of events, seminars and networking opportunities.

Friday, September 22, 2006 11:30 PM College Student Debt



Sunday, September 24, 2006 12:00 PM College Student Debt

Friday, September 29, 2006 8:00 PM Black Belt Seafood, Beef Mktg. School  
What farmers are doing to get the most return from their investment.  
Black Belt Seafood

#### Beef Mktg School

A special two day school for farmers & ranchers who raise beef for fun but primarily for profit.

Friday, September 29, 2006 11:30 PM Black Belt Seafood, Beef Mktg. School

#### At Your Service

A weekly thirty-minute program designed for the fifty plus audience, with information to help them maximize this time in their lives. Hosted by Bob Mosca and Jack Galassini. Each program will have segments on health nutrition, exercise, finance, travel, fashion, employment and government.

Sunday, August 27, 2006 2:00 PM Episode 101

Sunday, September 3, 2006 2:00 PM Episode 106

Sunday, September 10, 2006 2:00 PM Episode 107

Sunday September 17, 2006 2:00 PM Episode 108

Sunday, September 24, 2006 2:00 PM Episode 109

#### Bookmark

More than fifty writers - including literary stars such as James Dickey, John Barth, Peter Taylor, Ray Bradbury, Shirley Ann Grau and Anne Rivers Siddons - have discussed their work on Bookmark during the past several years on Alabama Public Television. Host for the program is Don Noble, an English professor from the University of Alabama.

Sunday, July 2, 2006 1:30 PM Mark Childress

Sunday, July 9, 2006 1:30 PM George Packer

Sunday, July 16, 2006 1:30 PM Anne Rice

Sunday, July 23, 2006 1:30 PM Douglas Hofstadter

Sunday, July 30, 2006 1:30 PM Juan Williams



Sunday, August 27, 2006      1:30 PM    Allen Barra  
Sunday, September 3, 2006      1:30 PM    Episode 107  
Sunday, September 10, 2006      1:30 PM    Episode 108  
Sunday, September 17, 2006      1:30 PM    Episode 109  
Sunday, September 24, 2006      1:30 PM    Episode 110

### **Discovering Alabama**

July 2, 2006      1:00 PM      Alabama Caves

Alabama has almost 3,000 caves. Dr. Phillips takes viewers on an actual exploration of an unmapped cave in northern Alabama. Along the way he discusses how caves are formed, the diversity of geological and biological features that occur in caves, and the history and location of Alabama caves

July 5, 2006      1:00 AM      Wetumpka Impact Crater

In an 1891 report, state geologist, Professor Eugene Allen Smith, noted that the area around Wetumpka was "structurally disturbed." In this video, Dr. Phillips, along with expert geologists, examine evidence that suggests the altered landscape around Wetumpka is the result of an ancient asteroid collision

July 9, 2006      1:00 PM      Tracks Through Time

This program visits a remarkable coal mine site in Walker County that reveals a scientific mother load of superbly preserved animal tracks from periods dating back around 300 million years ago. The site was purchased by the state in 2004 for permanent protection under management by the Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, State Lands Division.

July 9, 2006      8:00 PM      Weeks Bay

Dr. Doug Phillips takes a canoe journey down the beautiful Magnolia River into the rich brackish estuarine waters of Weeks Bay. Along the way, viewers are treated to the natural beauty and diversity that still characterize the area, but also witness the kinds of change and growth that threaten Weeks Bay and other vital estuaries.

July 9, 2006      8:30 PM      Fort Morgan

Visit historic Fort Morgan and witness an active archaeological dig, take a trek through an ancient maritime forest and witness the capture, banding, and release of migratory birds. Dr. Phillips talks to local residents in presenting the past and considering the future of Fort Morgan Peninsula, one of Alabama's best coastal wonders.

July 13, 2006      4:30 AM      Weeks Bay

The Weeks Bay Reserve is located near Mobile Bay's eastern shore in Baldwin County, approximately 40 miles southeast of Mobile, Ala., and 50 miles west of Pensacola, Fla. The reserve property lies in and around Weeks Bay and the tributaries of the Fish and Magnolia



rivers. The Interpretive Center and main offices are located on U.S. 98, approximately 12 miles southeast of Fairhope, and just west of the Fish River Bridge

July 16, 2006 1:00 PM Weeks Bay

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July 23, 2006 1:00PM Fort Morgan

Visit historic Fort Morgan and witness an active archaeological dig, take a trek through an ancient maritime forest and witness the capture, banding, and release of migratory birds. Dr. Phillips talks to local residents in presenting the past and considering the future of Fort Morgan Peninsula, one of Alabama's best coastal wonders.

July 30, 2006 1:00 PM Arboretum

Highlighted in this video are four of Alabama's arboretums and their significant contribution to the preservation of our native plants and trees.

August 20, 2006 8:00PM Project Community

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September 3, 2006 1:00 PM Wildlife History

Our nation is rooted in a rich, natural heritage that helped define our national identity. Central to this heritage is the history of our society's changing relationship with wildlife. This video gives an overview of Alabama's role as a national leader in wildlife conservation and restoration.

September 10, 2006 1:00 PM Red-cockaded Woodpecker

This video features the life history and the environmental controversies surrounding the red-cockaded woodpecker (*Picoides borealis*), an endangered species that lives in Alabama

September 17, 2006 1:00 PM Red Hills Salamander

This video follows a team of research scientists as they go on an actual search for the Red Hills salamander and examine the ecological significance of this threatened species. Private landowners, along with wildlife officials, develop strategies to conserve the salamanders' habitat.



September 24, 2006 1:00 PM Moundville

Dr. Phillips visits Moundville Archaeological Park, famous village site of the mound-building Indian culture of the prehistoric Mississippian Period that lasted from about A.D. 1000-1550. The program examines the symbols, beliefs, and life ways of this once dominant culture and traces two centuries of study in an attempt to understand these early Americans and the significance of their earthen mounds.

September 24, 2006 8:00 PM Invasive Series (Premiere)

Dr. Doug Phillips braves the kudzu, the privet, the alligator weed and more to examine the growing problem of invasive plant species, the threats they pose, and how – if – these Alien Invaders can be controlled.

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September 27, 2006 8:00 PM Cheaha Mountain/Talladega National Forest

Containing the southernmost reaches of the Appalachian Mountains, the Talladega Division of the National Forest includes the state's highest peak, Cheaha Mountain, at 2,420 feet. Our host hikes the Chinnabee Silent Trail and describes the local history of the area.

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### **For The Record**

Monday, July 3, 2006 6:30 PM Religious Fundamentalism

Retired Auburn University Professor David Harrell Ph.D. is the author of several books on religion, including one on Pat Robertson. Dr. Harrell discusses the rapidly growing branch of Christianity known as Pentecostalism.

Monday, July 3, 2006 11:00 PM Religious Fundamentalism

Tuesday, July 4, 2006 6:30 PM Former National Security Adviser

Jerry Leach, Ph.D., has been a diplomat, Director of International Economic Affairs at the National Security Council, and Regional Director of the Peace Corps. He discusses international issues.

Tuesday, July 4, 2006 11:00 PM Former National Security Advisor

Wednesday, July 5, 2006 6:30 PM Author Mark Childress



University of Alabama graduate Mark Childress' sixth novel is the story of a high school student moving to Mississippi and adjusting to life in the South. An earlier book, "Crazy in Alabama", was turned into a film directed by Antonio Banderas and starring Melanie Griffith.

Wednesday, July 5, 2006      11:00 PM      Author Mark Childress

Thursday, July 6, 2006      6:30 PM      Kids Count Data  
New data shows Alabama making improvements in the well-being of children even as the child poverty rate increases.

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Friday, July 7, 2006      6:30 PM      Week-In-Review  
Three Alabama journalists discuss events of the week.

Friday, July 7, 2006      11:00 PM      Week-In-Review

Monday, July 10, 2006      6:30 PM      Arts Council Director: Al Head  
Al Head is the Executive Director of the Alabama Arts Council. He will discuss programs and planning for art events in the state. He will talk about the state of art education and preserving art in Alabama. He will also take viewer questions.

Monday, July 10, 2006      11:00 PM      Arts Council Director: Al Head

Tuesday, July 11, 2006      6:30 PM      Supreme Court Rulings  
The U.S. Supreme Court completed its first session with John Roberts as Chief Justice. Samford University constitutional law historian Bill Ross and others discuss court rulings and what they may indicate about the direction its heading.

Tuesday, July 11, 2006      11:00 PM      Supreme Court Rulings

Wednesday, July 12, 2006      6:30 PM      Call-in: Golf Anyone  
The LPGA is coming to Prattville's Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail next year. Sunbelt Golf President John Cannon talks about this tournament, plans for more, and takes your phone calls at 1-866-552-0025.

Wednesday, July 12, 2006      11:00 PM      Call-in: Golf Anyone

Thursday, July 13, 2006      6:30 PM      The Lottery Lives?  
Former Gov. Don Siegelman was defeated in the primary and convicted in court, but is his call for a state lottery still alive? Some knowledgeable observers say yes.

Thursday, July 13, 2006      11:00 PM      The Lottery Lives?

Friday, July 14, 2006      6:30 PM      Week-In-Review  
Sallie Owen of the Press Register joins other journalists to discuss events of the week.

Friday, July 14, 2006	11:00 PM	Week-In-Review
Monday, July 17, 2006	6:30 PM	Gregory Fitch, Ph.D.
Gregory Fitch, Ph.D., new head of the Alabama Commission on Higher Education, came from a similar position in Missouri, and offers his early assessment of Alabama's higher education system. Call in your questions at 1-866-552-0025.		
Monday, July 17, 2006	11:00 PM	Gregory Fitch, Ph.D.
Tuesday, July 18, 2006	6:30 PM	Immigration Debate
As the immigration debate continues in Congress, Alabama State Troopers are receiving special training in the arrest and detention of illegal immigrants.		
Tuesday, July 18, 2006	11:00 PM	Immigration Debate
Wednesday, July 19, 2006	6:30 PM	North Korea's Nuclear Missiles
Troy University Political Science Chair James Rinehart, Ph.D., recently returned from South Korea, discusses that country's relationship with its northern neighbor and efforts to stop North Korea's nuclear program. Call in your questions at 1-866-552-0025.		
Wednesday, July 19, 2006	11:00 PM	North Korea's Nuclear Missiles
Thursday, July 20, 2006	6:30 PM	Job Losses
Alabama's unemployment rate is under 5%, yet hundreds of Alabamians in the textile and tire manufacturing industries will soon be out of work as planned shut downs occur. What impacts will these closings have on the state's economy, and where will displaced workers find jobs?		
Thursday, July 20, 2006	11:00 PM	Job Losses
Friday, July 21, 2005	6:30 PM	Week-In-Review
Robb Taylor with WVAS-FM Montgomery is among Alabama journalists discussing events of the week.		
Friday, July 21, 2006	11:00 PM	Week-In-Review
Monday, July 24, 2006	6:30 PM	Call-in: Rev. Robert Graetz
In the summer of 1955 a white minister came to Montgomery to pastor an all-black congregation and soon found himself in the middle of the Montgomery Bus Boycott. Rev. Graetz discusses race and reconciliation and takes your calls at 866-552-0025.		
Monday, July 24, 2006	11:00 PM	Call-in: Rev. Robert Graetz
Tuesday, July 25, 2006	6:30 PM	Stem Cell Research/Debate
President Bush's first veto, a bill dealing with federal funding of stem cell research, could reinvigorate the debate on the use of stem cells.		



Tuesday, July 25, 2006	11:00 PM	Stem Cell Research/Debate
Wednesday, July 26, 2006	6:30 PM	Call-in: Parental Responsibility
The Mountain Brook community wants to crack down on minors drinking alcohol, but even without laws addressing the problem parents face criminal charges if a party takes place on their property. Call in your questions for attorney Tommy Kirk at 866-552-0025.		
Wednesday, July 26, 2006	11:00 PM	Call-in: Parental Responsibility
Thursday, July 27, 2006	6:30 PM	State Fire Marshall Edward Paulk
As state fire marshall, Edward Paulk's responsibilities include overseeing arson investigations, the inspections of sprinkler systems and daycare center and heading up a committee reviewing state building codes. Mr. Paulk will talk with us about his office and take viewer calls.		
Thursday, July 27, 2006	11:00 PM	State Fire Marshall Edward Paulk
Friday, July 28, 2006	6:30 PM	Week in Review
Ken Hare from the "Montgomery Advertiser" is among three Alabama journalists discussing events of the week.		
Friday, July 28, 2006	11:00 PM	Week-In-Review
Monday, July 31, 2006	6:30 PM	Ethics Commission Director Call-in
Commission Director Jim Sumner discusses his agency's role in preventing public officials from using their office for personal gain. Call in questions at 1-866-552-0025.		
Monday, July 31, 2006	11:00 PM	Ethics Commission Director Call-in
Tuesday, August 1, 2006	6:30 PM	Sales Tax Holiday
This weekend marks the first Sales Tax Holiday in Alabama, created by the legislature for the purchase of school-related items.		
Tuesday, August 1, 2006	(No 11 PM Repeat)	
Wednesday, August 2, 2006	6:30 PM	Dealing with the drought.
Dr. Billy Powell, Executive Vice President of the Alabama Cattlemen's Association, talks about how cattle farmers are dealing with the drought. He will also discuss preparations for hurricane season. Powell will also take viewer questions.		
Wednesday, August 2, 2006	(No 11:00 PM repeat)	
Thursday, August 3, 2006	6:30 PM	Judicial Races
Eleven seats on Alabama's appeals courts are up for election, with judicial races drawing more attention in part based on the increase in money spent on campaigns.		

Thursday, August 3, 2006 (No 11:00 PM repeat)

Friday, August 4, 2006 6:30 PM Week in Review  
Three Alabama journalists discuss events of the week.

Friday, August 4, 2006 (No 11:00 PM repeat)

Monday, August 7, 2006 6:30 PM National Guard Adjutant General  
Major General Mark Bowen oversees Alabama National Guard troops deployed in  
Afghanistan and Iraq, and who could soon be patrolling the U.S.-Mexico border. Call in  
your questions for General Bowen at 1-866-552-0025.

Monday, August 7, 2006 (No 11:00 PM repeat)

Tuesday, August 8, 2006 6:30 PM Better Business Bureau President  
BBB's across the country work to improve business-customer relations. David  
Smitherman, Head of the BBB of Central Alabama and the Wiregrass, discusses what to  
do when you're not satisfied with the goods or services you received, and takes your  
phone calls at 1-866-552-0025.

Tuesday, August 8, 2006 (No 11:00 PM repeat)

Wednesday, August 9, 2006 6:30 PM Learning from Israel  
Alabama Homeland Security Director Jim Walker was in Israel recently to learn how the  
country deals with terrorists. Walker talks about his trip and takes your calls at 1-866-  
555-0025.

Wednesday, August 9, 2006 (No 11:00 PM repeat)

Thursday, August 10, 2006 6:30 PM Oil Drilling  
The U.S. Senate has approved more oil drilling in the Gulf of Mexico, including  
provisions to give states around the gulf a larger percentage of the revenue.  
Environmentalists worry more drilling will endanger ocean and coastal habitats.

Thursday, August 10, 2006 (No 11:00 PM repeat)

Friday, August 11, 2006 6:30 PM Week-In-Review  
Three Alabama journalists discuss events of the past week.

Friday, August 11, 2006 (No 11:00 PM repeat)

Monday, August 14, 2006 6:30 PM Terrorist Plot Foiled  
British intelligence stopped an alleged terrorist plot designed to blow up jets headed to  
the U.S. from the U.K. James Rinehart, Ph.D., Chair of the Political Science Dept. at  
Troy University discusses counter terrorism methods used to foil such plots and takes



viewer questions at 1-866-552-0025.

Monday, August 14, 2006 (No 11:00 PM repeat)

Tuesday, August 15, 2006 6:30 PM Stem Cells  
President Bush used his first veto to prevent federal funding of embryonic stem cell research. The veto could reinvigorate the debate over stem cells, which can be used to treat many types of diseases.

Tuesday, August 15, 2006 (No 11:00 PM repeat)

Wednesday, August 16, 2006 6:30 PM Generation Next

Alabamians 16 to 25 years old will be interviewed for "Generation Next: Speak Up Be Heard", a collaborative effort of the "The NewsHour" and National Public Radio. Program host Judy Woodruff talks about interviewing Generation Next and their role in the future of the U.S.

Wednesday, August 16, 2006 (No 11:00 PM repeat)

Thursday, August 17, 2006 6:30 PM Israel-Hezbollah Fighting  
Several weeks of fighting between Israel and the Lebanon-based Hezbollah has killed more than 100 Israelis and 850 Lebanese. As the UN tries to broker a cease fire, concerns increase that it will be a short-term solution to a long-term problem and not provide a lasting peace.

Thursday, August 17, 2006 (No 11:00 PM repeat)

Friday, August 18, 2006 6:30 PM Week In Review  
Butler Cain, WUAL-FM Tuscaloosa, and Scott Stantis, "The Birmingham News", are among Alabama journalists discussing events of the week.

Friday, August 18, 2006 (No 11:00 PM repeat)

Monday, August 21, 2006 6:30 PM Call-in: League of Municipality Director  
The Alabama League of Municipalities represents more than four hundred towns and cities, assisting with issues of governance, law enforcement training, insurance, lobbying, and other functions. Executive Director Perry Roquemore discusses issues facing his members and takes your calls at 1-866-552-0025.

Monday, August 21, 2006 11:00 PM Call-in: League of Municipality Director

Tuesday, August 22, 2006 6:30 PM Call-in: Congressman Artur Davis  
Seventh District Congressman Artur Davis takes about pending legislation in Congress, issues facing his district, and events in Israel and Lebanon. Call in your question at 1-866-552-0025.



Tuesday, August 22, 2006	11:00 PM	Call-in: Congressman Artur Davis
Wednesday, August 23, 2006	6:30 PM	Cuba Without Fidel?
While Fidel Castro recovers from surgery, his brother holds the reins of power. University of Alabama History Dept. Chair Lawrence Clayton talks about Cuba without Fidel.		
Wednesday, August 23, 2006	11:00 PM	Cuba Without Fidel?
Thursday, August 24, 2006	6:30 PM	FEMA Failures
The FEMA response to Katrina was riddled with problems, from long waits for temporary housing to returning boats to the water. We look back at the federal agency's response to one of the worst natural disasters in U.S. history.		
Thursday, August 24, 2006	11:00 PM	FEMA Failures
Friday, August 25, 2006	6:30 PM	Week In Review
Bill Perkins of "The Dothan Eagle" and Steve Chiotakes from WBHM-FM Birmingham are among journalists discussing events of the week.		
Friday, August 25, 2006	11:00 PM	Week-In-Review
Monday, August 28, 2006	6:30 PM	Drugged in America: Abuse and Treatment
Fourteen percent of those in rehab programs were using drugs by the age of 13. An estimated 120 million Americans, some as young as 12, drink alcohol, with almost half that number consuming five or more drinks at one sitting. Call in questions about drug and alcohol abuse and treatment at 1-866-552-0025.		
Monday, August 28, 2006	11:00 PM	Drugged in America: Abuse & Treatment
Tuesday, August 29, 2006	6:30 PM	Fighting Fat: Childhood Obesity
More than 15% of children ages 6 to 11 are obese, figures mirrored in the 12 to 19 year old population. State Health Officer Dr. Don Williamson and Dept. of Education official Debra Martin discuss what's being done to combat childhood obesity, including new guidelines for food served at school.		
Tuesday, August 29, 2006	11:00 PM	Fighting Fat: Childhood Obesity
Wednesday, August 30, 2006	6:30 PM	Stay or Go? Two Views On Iraq
An Iraq War veteran tells why he changed his mind about the conflict, while another soldier talks about reasons for the U.S. to continue its involvement.		
Wednesday, August 30, 2006	11:00 PM	Stay or Go? Two Views On Iraq
Thursday, August 31, 2006 –	6:30 PM	Housing and Hurricane Katrina

Housing remains an issue for many victims of Hurricane Katrina. From inadequate temporary housing to finding a permanent place to live, thousands of families still have no place to call home.

Thursday, August 31, 2006	11:00 PM	Housing and Hurricane Katrina
Friday, September 1, 2006	6:30 PM	A Conversation with Sydney Pike
Sydney Pike, who helped organize CNN, talks about early problems faced by the fledging network and how it changed news coverage worldwide.		
Friday, September 1, 2006	11:00 PM	A Conversation with Sydney Pike
Monday, September 4, 2006	6:30 PM	Alabama & Cuba: Trading with the Enemy
The impact of trade on both economies (part 1 of 4).		
Monday, September 4, 2006	11:00 PM	Alabama & Cuba: Trading with the Enemy
Tuesday, September 5, 2006	6:30 PM	Alabama & Cuba: Trading with the Enemy
Hurdles facing companies working with Cuba (part 2 of 4).		
Tuesday, September 5, 2006	11:00 PM	Alabama & Cuba: Trading with the Enemy
Wednesday, September 6, 2006	6:30 PM	Alabama & Cuba: Healthcare Under Communism
Research conducted by Cuban doctors, a visit to a maternity ward (part 3 of 4).		
Wednesday, September 6, 2006	11:00 PM	Alabama & Cuba: Healthcare Under Communism
Thursday, September 7, 2006	6:30 PM	Alabama & Cuba: Everyday Life
Currency problems, choosing a career, food distribution and rationing (part 4 of 4).		
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Friday, September 8, 2006	6:30 PM	Week In Review
Three Alabama journalists discuss events of the week.		
Friday, September 8, 2006	11:00 PM	Week-In-Review
Monday, September 11, 2006	6:30 PM	Protecting Your Investments
The Alabama Securities Commission (ASC) regulates securities transactions while providing consumer information to aid investors. ASC Exec. Dir. Joe Borg, soon to step into a nation role leading the Association of Securities Regulators, answers your questions at 1-866-552-0025.		
Monday, September 11, 2006	11:00 PM	Protecting You Investments
Tuesday, September 12, 2006	6:30 PM	Open Season (On Voters)
The campaign season has started, and voters are the target. In less than two months		



Alabamians will elect a governor, lt. governor, attorney general, and other officials charged with running the state.

Tuesday, September 12, 2006	11:00 PM	Open Season (On Voters)
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Wednesday, September 13, 2006	6:30 PM	Bringing People Downtown
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Revitalizing deteriorating inner cities has attracted the attention of planners and city officials. With the help of local and national professionals, Alabama's Capitol City hopes to breathe new life into its aging downtown.

Wednesday, September 13, 2006	11:00 PM	Bringing People Downtown
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Thursday, September 14, 2006	6:30 PM	Governor's Tax Plan
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Gov. Bob Riley says his plan provides incentives for expanding businesses and tax cuts for families making less than \$100,000. He also wants to return to four-year property tax reappraisals.

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Friday, September 15, 2006	6:30 PM	Week In Review
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Three journalists review events of the week.

Friday, September 15, 2006	11:00 PM	Week-In-Review
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Monday, September 18, 2006	6:30 PM	Dan Washburn
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Dan Washburn, retiring AHSAA Director, discusses the state's high school athletic programs and takes your calls at 1-866-552-0025.

Monday, September 18, 2006	11:00 PM	Dan Washburn
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Tuesday, September 19, 2006	6:30 PM	Lymphedema
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Anyone can experience lymphedema, an abnormal swelling usually occurring in an arm or leg due to fluid buildup. Experts discuss the condition and what help is available.

Tuesday, September 19, 2006	11:00 PM	Lymphedema
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Wednesday, September 20, 2006	6:30 PM	Drug Policy Alliance
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Dr. Ethan Nadelmann, founder and executive director of the Drug Policy Alliance, talks about what is and isn't working in attempts to combat drug use and street crime in the U.S.

Wednesday, September 20, 2006	11:00 PM	Drug Policy Alliance
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Thursday, September 21, 2006	6:30 PM	Community Service Grants
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Lawmakers want the committee created to disperse community service grants to hand out the funds by September 30, but Gov. Riley and Attorney General King want the Alabama Supreme Court to stop the grants, saying the program is unconstitutional.



Thursday, September 21, 2006	11:00 PM	Community Service Grants
Friday, September 22, 2006	6:30 PM	Week In Review
Dave White from the "Birmingham News" and Bob Davis of the "Anniston Star" discuss events of the week.		
Friday, September 22, 2006	11:00 PM	Week-In-Review
Monday, September 25, 2006	6:30 PM	Dr. David Bronner
The Retirement Systems of Alabama, RSA, last week put the top on the tallest building in the state. The RSA has investments in real estate, golf courses, and the stock market. The Chief Executive Officer of the RSA, David Bronner, Ph.D. discusses the state of the RSA . He will also take viewer questions.		
Monday, September 25, 2006	11:00 PM	Dr. David Bronner
Tuesday, September 26, 2006	6:30 PM	Leaving Money on the Table
The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services has \$1.75 billion to distribute to states over the next five years. Advocates for the elderly and disabled say a portion of that could come to		
Tuesday, September 26, 2006	11:00 PM	Leaving Money on the Table
Wednesday, September 27, 2006	6:30 PM	Diversity Training
Hyundai's first U.S. auto plant is in Montgomery, complete with a diversity expert to facilitate the mix of racial cultures represented at the plant. Milton Creagh of Hyundai takes your questions at 1-866-552-0025.		
Wednesday, September 27, 2006	11:00 PM	Diversity Training
Thursday, September 28, 2006	6:30 PM	AIDS Testing
The Centers for Disease Control estimate 250,000 people are unknowingly infected with HIV. Revised CDC rules recommend all Americans between 13 and 64 be screened for the virus.		
Thursday, September 28, 2006	11:00 PM	AIDS Testing
Friday, September 29, 2006	6:30 PM	Week in Review
Kim Price from the "Wetumpka Herald" joins other journalists to discuss events of the week.		
Friday, September 29, 2006	11:00 PM	Week-In-Review